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Dear Sir:

Under the provisions of 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.56, 1.97 and 1.98, Applicant submits herewith a copy of the International Search Report and information that the Office may wish to consider in examination of the subject application. Materials submitted for consideration are listed on the attached form PTO-1449.

The relevance of any foreign-language reference for which an English-language translation is not provided is as follows.


DE 12 66 175 B discloses an armored van for transportation of money, valuable goods and the like, characterized in that the van (1) is provided with a secured safe which is operable from the transport area (4) of the van (1) by the driver and which is located with one side at an outer wall of the van (1) in the transport area (4).

DE 200 17 436 U1 discloses means for making money unusable upon robbery, and/or for preventing money robbery, consisting of a container containing a strong acid and/or strong smelling substance and/or a smoke

forming substance, characterized in that the counter is located in a bundle of true or false bank notes and is constituted such that it will upon slight pressure emit the strong acid and/or the strong smelling substance and/or the smoke forming substance.

Also attached is the German Search Report.

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